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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2621  
Docket No.: 826.1411D3

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of:

Yutaka KATSUYAMA

Serial No. 09/755,045

Group Art Unit: 2621

Confirmation No. 6748

Filed: January 8, 2001

Examiner: Yon Couso

For: RULED LINE EXTRACTING APPARATUS FOR EXTRACTING RULED LINE FROM  
NORMAL DOCUMENT IMAGE AND METHOD THEREOF

**SECOND AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed October 4, 2004, and having a period for response set to expire on January 4, 2005. A Petition for a further two-month extension of time (for a total of three months of extension), together with the requisite fee for same (\$900.00), is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to April 4, 2005.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.

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